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THE RAGING TORRENTS

Create Much Damage in the North.

MANY LEVEES BREAK AWAY

And Thousands of Acres of Agricultural Lands Are Inundated.

MARYSVILLE, December 27.—The impression that this city has been flooded, or that there was great danger of its being flooded, is erroneous. Water has surrounded the town and broken several levees southwest and north of here, but has not given any great scare here, though the usual precautions were of course taken by mercantile interests.

The water reached early this morning the 18 feet 11 inch mark, being 3 inches less than on Saturday, and 12 inches higher than ever known.

The levees could easily have stood two or three more if it was possible to get that much more water on the vast surface which spread out from the confluence of the Yuba and Feather.

With that much more raise, however, the entire country, as far as Sacramento would be flooded and the district enclosed by the Marysville levees are free from water, save from seepage, which is easily handled by the corporation pumping plant.

Agricultural lands, which have suffered by overflow, are not of the greatest value, and taken as a whole the damage done will not be as great as at first thought.

The loss of livestock, when the vast stretch of water is taken into consideration, is remarkably small, and $10,000 will cover it all for both Yuba and Sutter counties.

Conservative farmers who were in today hold out considerable hope of being able to plant on the lands now inundated.

No Damage Yet.

MODESTO, December 27.—The Tuolumne river reached the 25-foot mark Sunday last, being the highest for ten years. The bottoms of the Tuolumne, Stanislaus and San Joaquin rivers have been overflowed. Stock generally has been saved, though two dead horses were seen floating down the Tuolumne. The water is muddy and contains much debris. At the joint dam water ran over at a depth of fifteen feet, but the dam shows no damage.

The rivers are now going down.

Heavy Rains.

SANTA ROSA, December 27.—Prospects are good for clear weather here. The storm which began December 23d was the most severe had here for many months. A number of bridges have been swept away in Sonoma county and considerable damage done to farms, orchards and buildings. The rainfall for the storm is three inches, a total for the season of 11.50.

The Kern on a Boom.

BAKERSFIELD, December 27.—The Kern river yesterday was the highest for eleven years, caused by warm rains and melting snows in the mountains. No serious damage done.

Purse Withdrawn.

NEW YORK, December 27.—The $45,000 fight between Jack McAuliffe and Dick Burge for the light-weight championship of the world is off. Judge Newton, president of the Coney Island Athletic club, officially withdrew the princely offer of the club tonight. The announcement astounded not only the fighters' backers, but the entire sporting fraternity of New York, as well. Judge Newton gave as his reason that he did not believe McAuliffe and Burge would ever come to an agreement. Constant quibbling over minor terms of the agreement had forced this action upon him, and so the largest purse ever offered for a fight has vanished. The fight was to have been for the light weight championship of the world. Burge was lightweight champion of England and McAuliffe of the new world.

Riotous Dancers.

DOVER, Ky., December 27.—At a dance at the home of Walter Green, colored, a terrible fatal shooting and riot occurred as the result of a dispute over a trifling matter. In a general melee that followed four negroes were shot. Ruth Fields was wounded with a shotgun by Green and is dying. Green's intention was to shoot Charles Whaley, and the woman stepped in the way to protect Whaley. The latter was afterwards dangerously wounded. Charles Percy got three bullets in his body and another negro was fatally hurt. Green's house was stoned and the doors broken in. The peace officers who attempted to arrest the rioters met with resistance, and a large number of shots were exchanged in which a number were wounded. The rioters finally escaped.

An Immense Cathedral.

NEW YORK, December 27.—The corner stone of the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine was laid this afternoon by Right Rev. Henry C. Potter of the Episcopal diocese of New York. The cathedral will include seven chapels in which there will be service at least every Sunday in seven different languages. The aspect of the cathedral project commands attention on account of its aim and scope. Already over $1,000,000 have been subscribed or bequeathed to the cathedral. The cost of the structure is estimated at $5,000,000 to $10,000,000. The ceremonies were witnessed by an immense throng.

Champion All Right.

SANTA ROSA, December 27.—The whereabouts of John Champion, the Cloverdale wine man who mysteriously disappeared from home November 26th, have been ascertained. Frank Nervo, who had been in his employ many years at his Cloverdale farm, and whom Champion owes nearly $3000, received a telegram from him today from London, saying he had just arrived there and would settle up his accounts at once. When Champion left here he owed debts amounting to nearly $25,000. Many believed he had suicided, while others thought he was crazy or had been murdered.

Cholera and Starvation.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 27.—The British consul who visited the famine districts reports that peasants are dying like flies from hunger and disease. There are no signs of relief from the horrors of a hard winter. Cholera is raging severely on the Circassian shore and there were hundreds of deaths the last fortnight.

TRAIN WRECKED AT TULARE.

Four Railroad Employes Injured in the Collision.

Engineer William Allen, following a freight train with engine and caboose, ran into the train at Tulare last night in a heavy fog.

Four men in Allen's caboose were seriously injured.

Brakeman Kammer had his jaw broken. The shock of the collision forced his head through a chair, and some of his teeth were left sticking in the bottom of the chair.

Brakeman Hoy was crippled in the back.

Roadmaster Frank Samson was severely bruised about the breast.

Conductor Morgan was but slightly injured.

The engineer and fireman escaped unhurt.

The caboose of the freight train jumped on top of Allen's engine.

A RAISIN TRUST.

Organization of a State Institution for Protection.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 27.—The Examiner states that the raisin growers of this state are forming a trust, to be known as the California State Raisin Growers association, and that final arrangements were made at a meeting of the producers in Fresno last Wednesday.

It is said that packers and brokers are to be admitted to the organization, but will have to pay a higher entrance fee than the growers, and that in the executive committee of sixty, which is to be selected, forty will be growers.

According to the plan of the trust, as it is understood, the packers and growers must give bonds to maintain the prices of raisins to be consigned to packers and brokers only who have given $10,000 and $20,000 respectively not to sell at a figure under a set price.

At the recent meeting in Fresno two persons were appointed to go to Sacramento and get through a bill requiring the grading of raisins.

Other legislation in the interest of the raisin growers is to be asked for in the same bill.

The idea, so far as is understood, is to provide for a state commissioner who will see that raisins are properly graded.

THE OFFICIAL VOTE

AS CANVASSED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

Results Not Materially Different From the Figures Already Published.

SACRAMENTO, December 27.—The vote of the recent general election was officially delivered today by Secretary of State Waite.

Vote for Presidential electors: Republican—L. Hanscom 117,504, J. R. Willoughby 117,005, H. V. Morehouse 117,711, Isaac Hecht 117,613, J. A. Waymire 117,717, M. L. Morry 119,670, William Carson 117,747, J. C. Campbell 117,743, Thomas R. Bard 118,027; Democratic—J. H. Fitcher 118,151, William Graves 118,109, R. P. Hammond 118,112, Jackson Hatch 118,096, R. A. Long 118,174, J D. Lynch 118,092, M. Rosenthal 118,008, W. L. Silverman 117,962, J. F. Thompson 117,840.

This shows that California will cast one vote for Harrison, that of Thomas Bard.

The People's Party vote ranged from 25,170 to 25 311, and the Prohibition vote from 7921 to 8096.

Propositions were voted upon as follows: Election of United States senator by the people—for, 187,958; against, 13,342.

San Francisco depot act—for, 91,296; against, 90,430.

Educational qualifications—for, 151,320; against, 141,059.

Refund debt—yes, 79,900; no, 85,604.

The vote upon amendments was as follows:

To have legislature session last 100 days—for, 36,442; against, 15,383.

Not permitting the incurring of debt by county, city or township boards of education—for, 18,942; against, 59,548.

Increasing the salary of lieutenant governor—for, 43,456; against, 123,843.

Permitting the governor to approve certain appropriations in a bill while rejecting others—For, 69,256; against, 8708.

In reference to charters for cities of over 3000 inhabitants—For, 114,817; against, 42,076.

For congressmen—First district—Geary, 19,308; Davis, 13,123.

Second district—Caminetti, 20,741; Davis, 16, 781.

Third district—Unexpired term, Hillborn, 16,011; English, 14,493.

Third district—Hillborn, 13,163; English, 13,138.

Fourth district—Maguire, 14,997; Alexander, 13,226.

Fifth district—Loud, 14,600; Ryland, 13,694.

Sixth district—Cannon, 14,271; Lindley, 10,861.

Seventh district—Bowers, 15,850; Wellborn, 14,869.

This gives California three Republican and four Democratic congressmen.

Blaine Improving.

WASHINGTON, December 27.—"Mr. Blaine is as well as he was yesterday, and is improving." This was said at 6 o'clock this morning by Dr. Johnson, who had been at Blaine's bedside just twenty-five minutes. It is pretty well understood that Blaine has really some marked improvement, as compared with his condition very recently. He is still a very sick man—so sick that he can only sit erect when lifted into that position and propped up with pillows.

Their Bonds Taken.

MODESTO, December 27.—The board of trustees opened bids for municipal bonds today. Five bids were filed. The board accepted Hayes & Sons, bond buyers of Cleveland, O., New York and Boston, who offered $101 premium on $85,000 of bonds. The bonds are for city water works and a sewage system.

MALAGA'S DAISY.

How She Managed Her Many Lovers.

ED BRADLEY'S EXPERIENCE

Miss Sadler Goes East at His Expense and Then Jilts Him.

From The Republican's Special Correspondent.

VISALIA, December 27.—Last spring Daisy Sadler, one of the prettiest girls in Malaga, Fresno county, came to Visalia to hunt for John Duncan. Daisy was engaged to marry Duncan, but he had failed to put in an appearance on the wedding night and Daisy wanted to know the reason why. Hearing he had fled to Visalia she followed him to this city and began the search. Duncan found out Daisy was looking for him, and instead of rewarding such devotion by throwing himself into her yearning arms, he hastened to increase the distance between them and left hurriedly for Sacramento.

ONE LOST, ANOTHER FOUND.

During her stay here she met Ed Bradley, the transfer man. She poured her mournful little love story into Ed's sympathetic ear and he assisted her in her search for the unappreciative Duncan. Of course this arrangement brought them together a good deal, and Ed's interest in Daisy increased as rapidly as her interest in Duncan decreased. She seemed very well pleased with the handsome transfer man, and one fine day her arms suddenly ceased altogether to yearn for Duncan.

Before leaving for her home in Malaga, Daisy asked Ed to correspond with her. He not only corresponded with her, but also took several trips to Malaga. Daisy dressed in her best would be on the platform to meet him, and she and Ed took delightful drives around the country, choosing lanes which the good roadmaster seems to have constructed specially for lovers. On one of these occasions Daisy, taking advantage of its being leap year, proposed to Ed that they get married. It would only be a little while till she would learn to love him, she said. It is not stated that Ed turned a deaf ear to the proposed partnership. In the meantime they carried on quite a correspondence, and the following extract from a letter dated September 1st, from Daisy to Ed, will show the delicacy of Miss Sadler's wooing:

A LEAP YEAR PROPOSAL.

"Ed, you once asked me if I was engaged and, dear, I will tell you I am not. Ed, I will tell you now as I told once—to give me time and I would learn to love you. Believe me, you have won me; you have my love, and my heart is in your keeping. I hope you will not treat it as it has been treated; do not cast it aside, Ed, for I love you, in plain words. I do not fear to tell you for you are a man, a gentleman, and I hope you will do what is fair by me. I am thankful we are both free from any engagements and free to come together."

DAISY'S EXPENSIVE SICKNESS.

Almost every day a letter arrived, closely written, and never less than four pages and Ed has quite a stack of them. On September 21st she acknowledges the receipt of a diamond ring and is so pleased with it. During the latter part of September she is taken sick and Ed is so good as to send her money, and after that she was sick quite often and Ed was always equal to the occasion and responded with the golden panacea. Ed in some manner heard of an engagement existing between Daisy and one Morgan Jones in Illinois, but the wedding card of Jones was shown Ed and, on being told that Jones was married almost a year, he was satisfied. Daisy's bad health continued and as she was not getting any relief from local physicians it was decided to send her back to Illinois. Ed came to the rescue with the coin, for did not Daisy write him: "If I stay here much longer you will look on my dead face."

SHE ONLY PLAYED ED.

Daisy went east and a few days ago Ed Bradley received the following letter dated from Gilman, Ia., from the object of his affections:

"Dear Sir.—Your letters at hand yesterday and would say I am married, and my darling husband helped read your loving letters and then burnt them. You said in one you had my record in writing. I can say I never loved and only played you. How is F. W? I tell you I was stuck on him, but never on you."

INSULT ADDED TO INJURY.

The last page, written at Stratford, Ill., says:

I thank you kindly for paying my way back. Say, Ed, please send me $5; we are on our wedding tour and have blowed ourselves in and would like money to get home. We are in Gilman, Ia. My husband joins me in best wishes for your future and and hope you won't get scorched again. Answer, if you wish.

MRS. DAISY JONES, nee SADDLER.

Bradley takes it very easy and thinks his experience well worth the money.

Miss Daisy Saddler, it will be remembered, made herself very conspicuous a month or two ago by the tender attentions she paid the handsome train robber, George Coutant, during his trial. She seemed very much interested in Coutant and made his sojourn in jail pleasant by sending him flowers and good things to eat. She was a regular attendant at the proceedings during Coutant's trial and her devotion to him caused much comment.

The Emigrant Ditch Damaged.

The heavy rains in the mountains a few days ago caused the Kings river to rise rapidly. On Saturday the river was booming and broke through its banks where the Emigrant Ditch company's dam is situated, about two miles below Kingsburg. The damage will probably exceed $5000. T. C. White, one of the stockholders of the company, has gone to San Francisco to arrange with other stockholders for having repairs begun immediately.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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MEETING NOTICES.

THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL MEETING on Thursday evening, December 29, of the Fresno Encampment No. 78, to confer the Royal Purple Degree and other business, also a banquet to be given after adjournment. All members and sojourning Patriarchs are requested to be on hand. F. KN' BLOCH, C. P. HARRY TURNER, Scribe. de27td

WANTED—HELP.

WANTED—FARMERS, RANCHERS, VINEyardists, hotel keepers, boarding houses and families requiring first class help, male or female, will please call or send to the most reliable place in the San Joaquin valley, the Eureka Employment Bureau, 1739 Mariposa street, LEVY & LANGLEY. We have some first class pruners on our list awaiting orders. Call soon if you want them. d24tf

WANTED — HELP FURNISHED; ALSO those requiring work to call at Scandinavian Employment Agency, 825 G street, near Mono. de3tf

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL TO DO general housework. Apply at F. K. PRESCOTT, corner T and Tulare streets. de27t5*

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS SALESLADY FOR fancy goods store. Address with references, K, this office. de27tf

WANTED—A MAN TO HANDLE HORSES; also one to do general work and make himself useful. J, this office. de25tf

WANTED—25 OR 30 MEN TO CHOP WOOD; $2 per cord. Call at L. C. RICE's wood yard. de26tf

WANTED—PRUNERS; ALSO EXPERIENCED working foremen for vineyards; good pay to good men. Apply 1739 Mariposa street, Eureka Employment Bureau. d22tf

WANTED—WOMEN FOR HOUSEWORK and cooking in town, at the Skandinavian Employment Office, 658 H street. d21tf

WANTED—A COMPETENT AND RELIABLE man to act as superintendent of a large raisin and wine vineyard in this county; must be thoroughly familiar with the handling of horses and understand his business. A married man and one having some knowledge of making wine preferred. Good reference required. State salary wanted. Address E, this office. d20tf

WANTED—SITUATIONS

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE WANTS SITUation on ranch; woman to cook for hands, and man to work as hand; references given. For particulars address ROBERT J. POOL, Fowler, Fresno county Cal. Care of Postoffice box 109. de25t6*

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED TEACHER desires to engage a school to begin after the holidays. E. G. CHADWICK of the Home Packing Company can give further particulars; office 1731 Tulare street. d24t6

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—I AM READY TO MAKE CONtracts for pruning vineyards and orchards; only first-class pruners employed. G.B. HARNIS. Inquire at the National saloon, 933 Mariposa st. de23t6*

WANTED — LADIES CAN EARN $10 A week at home. Send stamped envelope for particulars to MISS HARRIET HUMMEL, Ohio City, Ohio. de27t1*

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH $2000 OR more in a splendid paying business. Address M, postoffice box 92, Fresno. de22t1

WANTED—WASHING AT 702, CORNER INYO and B streets. de26tf

TO LET ON SHARES—THE STANDARD bred stallion Oregon Boy (5636), by Altona, 739; dam by Almont, 33; to let on the shares for the season of '93. Inquire of GEORGE H. BRENHARD, 1111 J street. d13t1

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—COLONY LOT, CHEAP RED land, east of Fresno, ½ mile to depot, 15 acres are in 10-year-old raisin vines, 2 acres orange orchard, 2 acres alfalfa; house and barn; price $1500. Address P., Postoffice box 499, Fresno.15tf

FOR SALE—472 ACRES OF LAND NEAR Elk Horn station; 100 head of cattle, 5 horses, 2 wagons, farming implements, household furniture; will sell cheap. Address B. WOLTERS, Caruthers Station. de13tm*

FOR SALE—CHEAP—NO. 1 40 ACRE VINEyard; vines two and three years old, price $6000; will take one-third in desirable city property; balance on three years time. Apply to M. B. KELLOGG, 1613 Tulare street. de25tf

FOR SALE—A FINE SUBURBAN HOME; 5 acres in choice fruit; full bearing; 5 acre raisin; good house; terms easy. Apply to J. W. REESE or real estate agents. ao23tf

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—HOUSE 6 ROOMS with 4 lots; will sell 2 lots without house; fine lawn and shrubbery. Inquire cor. Tuolumne and Q sts. ja29tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—A DECKER BROTHERS PIANO; a well assorted library with case and household furniture, 1715 Stanislaus street, near H. de28t3

FOR SALE—A GENTLE DRIVING HORSE; cheap. Apply at this office. de27tf

FOR SALE—CHEAP—A FEW FINE REGIStered yearling bulls. Durham and Herefords, prize winners at State Fair 1892. For catalogues address I. HEILBRON, Wildflower Stock Farm, Wildflower, Fresno county. de23d w2m

FOR SALE—TWO LARGE PLOW HORSES, or will exchange for hay. Inquire for particulars at Fresno Gas and Electric Light Co's office, 1017 J street. de25tf

FOR SALE—PIANO, 1801 L STREET. de27tf

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS TOKAY, MALAGA and Sultana roots; also cuttings. Roen Vineyard. d23tf

FOR SALE—FRESH MILCH COWS, AT ROBERT MARTIN'S, ½ mile east of Belmont School. d17tf

FOR SALE—I HAVE A LOT OF 3 AND 4-year-old mules for sale; some broken to work. Inquire corner K and Stanislaus streets. JESSE IRVINE. d6m1

FOR SALE—GOOD BALED WHEAT HAY. Apply to Mt. Sterling Vineyard. s30m1

FOR SALE—WORK AND DRIVING HORSES, stallions, jacks and mules; horses bought, sold or exchanged on easy terms. L. F. WARD, Breeder and Dealer, 527 South F st. se30tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES ROOMS ETC

FOR RENT—SUNNY FRONT AND SIDE rooms; rent cheap. Cosmopolitan House, 841 I street, near Kern. de28 3*

FOR RENT—MASQUERADE COSTUMES AND wigs. 1715 Stanislaus street, near H. de27tf

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FOR RENT—JERSEY MILCH COW; $1.50 PER week. Milch cow for sale, $30. ROBERT MARTIN, ½ mile east Belmont school, Fresno. de25tf

FOR RENT—HOUSE OF 5 ROOMS; MONO st., near L, $10. L. A. SPENCER. d21tf*

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM, WITH OR without board, at 1421 J street. d28tf

FOR RENT—KUTNER HALL, FOR BALLS, parties and meetings. Apply to FRANK M. CHITTENDEN, 1125 J street. de22tf

FOR RENT—LARGE DOUBLE ROOM, WITH board if desired, at 1405 M street, corner of Fresno. d18t12*

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FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS SUITABLE FOR housekeeping; first floor; central location. Apply at 1011 J st. Jy12tf

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FOR RENT—REAL ESTATE.

FOR RENT—VINEYARD ON SHARES, of about 130 acres east of Fresno; all good land; no alkali; house and barn on the place, but no stock or tools. Responsible parties please address C. A. W., Hughes Hotel. de28t1m

FOR RENT—120 ACRES OF GRAIN LAND; all fenced; house on premises. Address J. T. ZEIGLER, Box 1581, Fresno. d21t6

FOR RENT—40 ACRES; 20 IN MUSCAT vines 4 years old, and 20 acres in grain land. Address Box 8, Fresno. d18tf

FOR RENT—WELL IMPROVED 20 ACRE tract 5 miles from town. For information apply to E. HENDERSON, 1050 I street. d18tf

LOST.

LOST—WHILE DRIVING IN THE CITY A long feather boa. The finder will please leave at 1421 J street. de27t2*

LOST—WILL THE PARTY WHO RENTED opera glasses at the theater please return them to 1826 Mariposa st., as you are known. n31f

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FRESNO'S holiday decorations are pretty schoolmarms.

IT'S really too bad that there are so few postoffices to distribute among so many Democrats.

POLITICAL prophets are beginning to speculate as to what position the Expositor will take in the forthcoming city election.

CHICAGO'S pork packing record shows a falling off this year. The deficit will be easily made up next year by hogging the coin of the strangers within her gates.

THE goat which Grover rides when he is initiated into that college society will be worth exhibiting to the nations of the world, should it live through the ordeal.

THE feud between the Examiner and the interior press is growing to a white heat over the senatorial contest. It is very sad to see brethren fall out and give each other away.

ONE charitable society in New York city fed 20,000 poor children on Christmas day and gave each a present. There must be some good people in that place where Dave Hill and Peck and the rest of those fellows live, after all.

SENATOR PEFFER is talking through his whiskers about things which are to happen in the future. The Senator will please show his credentials when he sets up in the prophet business. There are too many people now practicing without a license.

AMONG the various pieces of interesting information brought to light during the deliberations of the international monetary conference at Brussels, is the fact that there is at present no less than $100,000,000 of counterfeit silver money in circulation in France, Belgium, Switzerland, Italy, Spain and Portugal.

ACCORDING to the dispatches Merry England did not have a merry Christmas. Want and privation are so prevalent in that great country now that melancholy broods where hope and pleasure should hold sway. All the financial wisdom of the earth is evidently not contained in English brains.

A MASSACHUSETTS paper is leading a crusade in favor of taking the postoffice out of politics. And this in the face of the popular movement to put the railroads, telegraph and other things into politics. It does seem pretty near impossible for the people of this country to agree on things.

THE Tehachapi Tribune rises in its place on the summit of the Sierras to nominate Colonel Wellborn for United States senator. This comes from a high source, but the Colonel will hardly go before the legislature as a candidate. One nomination in a campaign is enough for any man, however great he may be.

THE Los Angeles Times rakes up the memories of bygone days in this poetic paragraph: "The small boy of today will never know the joys of boots that you have to kick on the next morning after a rain or a snowstorm. They have gone a-glimmering, along with the picnic of pulling them off at night. In large families twenty years ago the thump of boots about daylight around a house was equal to the riot of a quartz mill."

THE United States annually imports from foreign countries $30,000,000 worth of fruits and wines. California and other fruit growing sections of the country are capable of producing nearly or quite this entire amount of both fruit and wines, and notwithstanding recent political events THE REPUBLICAN is of the opinion that time will demonstrate that it is sound policy to discourage importation of these foreign products and encourage home production by a protective tariff.

THE Brooklyn Eagle agrees with the Frenchman who said: "I am in favor of abolishing the death penalty; but let the assassins begin first." When murderers are done away with then we may talk about life imprisonment and that sort of thing, but so long as a man steals up behind another and stabs him in the back, so long should the state deal firmly with the criminal. There is much talk about respect for human life which is profitless and misleading. It is because the state values the lives of its citizens that it punishes severely those who do them violence.

THE dinner which the Democratic Business Men's association of New York is to give Cleveland next month is to be kept clear of the blunders which brought the recent Reform club dinner to grief. So, at least, the New York correspondent of The Philadelphia Press reports. "There will certainly be no unfortunate Crisp incidents," he says, "no such Phariseeism as was displayed by Carl Schurz, and no such vicious stabbing under the fifth rib as the one which Mr. Carlisle inflicted upon Schurz, and which I hear, made Schurz not only squirm, but unforgiving." If the Democratic Business Men want to be sure of avoiding unfortunate Crisp incidents they might instruct the presiding officer of the dinner to call the roll of the guests, so that every man present who wants to say something might have a chance.

AN exchange says of that prevalent and more or less useful animal, the dog: "It is evident that dog worship has come down from the old Egyptian days to our own time. Especially is the dog sacred among the colored brethren of the south. In endeavoring to arrive at something like an accurate census of the dog population of a certain district in Florida, the postmaster was asked to give an estimate. That functionary announced that 'every poor man in the locality owns three dogs, and every 'dog-goned' poor man owns six—and you can figure it out for yourself.' Governor Colquitt of Georgia once told the writer that under present conditions the sheep industry could not flourish in Georgia because of the number of worthless dogs—which outnumbered the people of the state. Relative to the loss of sheep by dogs the returns carefully tabulated by the agricultural department give a result varying from 4 per cent in Texas, Kentucky and Delaware, to 8 per cent in South Carolina, Georgia, Florida and Mississippi." From this it appears that the south is about as seriously "dominated" by the dog as by the colored brother.

The Curiosity Slaker.



Heavy Body (the dangerous Texan, to stranger)—Say, I wanter know what's in that box. See? I wanter know.



Stranger—Certainly, certainly. A little invention of mine. A mere nothing!—Truth.

Hard to Answer.

A question may look simple and yet present great difficulties. "Am I on the road to Scrantown?" asked a lady who was making a tour of discovery from her summer home in a small New England town.

She addressed a man who was weeding a patch of ground near the road.

"You be, ma'am," he replied, surveying her with mild curiosity.

"Well, am I half way there?" she asked.

"Why, as to that, ma'am, it would seem as of 'twould make a diff'rence where you started from."—Youth's Companion.

Had His Opinion About It.

"This is your little sister, Tommy," said his father, showing him the baby. "You will love her dearly, will you not?"

"Y-yes, of course," replied Tommy, inspecting the latest arrival, "but it'll cost a good bit to keep her, won't it?"

"I presume so."

"Yes," said Tommy, with a long drawn breath, "and when I asked you the other day to buy me a white rabbit you said you couldn't afford it."—Chicago Tribune.

A Cheap Meal.

"I know a place where you can get a dinner for a quarter."

"Really? A good layout?"

"First rate, if you give the waiter a half dollar."—Truth.

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Paused in the shade to rest,
He threw his arms around her there
And drew her to his breast.

"If I had gold," he said to her,
"'Twould be my dearest duty
To see that your surroundings were
Befitting to your beauty."

Sweet Phyllis blushed and softly sighed
A sigh of deep content,
And whispering said, "I'm satisfied
With my environment."
—George Russell Jackson in Life.

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HILL—BALL—At the residence of the bride's parents near Fresno, December 25, 1892, by Rev. W. H. Martt, David Hill of Lemoore, Tulare county, and Miss Ina M. Ball.

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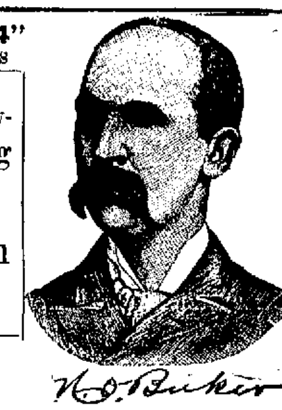
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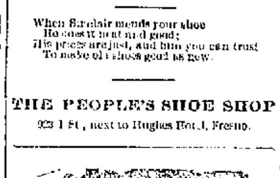
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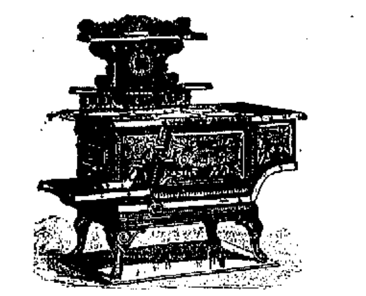
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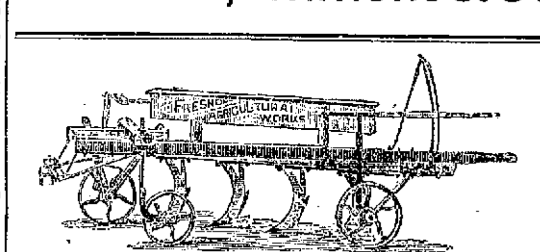


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The stations are East Fresno, Barton's Spur, Las Palmas, Egger's Spur, Tarpey's Spur, Clovis, Gordon and Pollasky.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, Dec. 27—Observation taken at 5 p.m.

Temperature	58
Dew Point	54
Humidity (per cent)	83
Wind NW (miles per hour)	4
Maximum Temperature for past 24 hours	59
Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours	55
Rainfall	0.00
Total rainfall for season	3.28

JOHN R. WILLIAMS, Observer.

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27—Official forecast; For twenty-four hours ending midnight, December 28th—Northern California — Fair weather, except occasional light showers in northern portion; cooler; variable winds.

EVENTS.

TODAY.
State Teachers' Association.

TONIGHT.
State Teachers.

TOMORROW.
State Teachers' Association.

TO COME.
December 30—Election Contest.
January 3—City Council.
January 3—Fresno County World's Fair Commission.
January 10—City Board of Education.
January 23 2 p.m.—Grand Jury.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Melrose.

Seeds,

Seeds, seeds at Hammond & Bates.

Sperry's Stockton flour.

Try Jersey Farm Dairy cream.

Sperry's Stockton flour is best.

Plum puddings at the "Mascot."

Finest candies at the "Mascot."

Oysters on half shell at Bodega.

The gutter paving job has begun.

Grapes bought at Eisen Vineyard.

Fresno is nearly bursting with brains.

Hay and grain at Hammond & Bates.

Columbia Bicycles, A. C. Banta, agent.

Victor Bicycles, A. H. Greeley, agent.

New Year's slippers at Poor Man's Friend.

A good chance to secure a library. See ad column.

Wood and coal at Wood & Dorsey's, Telephone 15.

The only and best restaurant in town is the Mirrovich's.

If you wish good Fresno oranges cheap call at 635 I street.

All goods bearing the Melrose brand are strictly pure and full weight.

Costumes for the Fireman's Mask Ball can be procured at the Grand Central.

Clark's bridge, near Kingsburg, has been swept away by the flood in King's river.

Attorney Sam Jackson entertained a number of friends on Christmas eve at dinner.

Fine family Bibles from $350 up, at Herbert & Brooks, 1151 J street, next to postoffice.

Stockton is represented by a big delegation of brainy men and women at the convention.

Don't forget to buy your Christmas cakes at the City Bakery and restaurant, 1038 I street.

Best meals at most reasonable prices at Cosmopolitan Rotisserie, opposite Hughes Hotel.

Fruit cakes from 10 to 40 cents per pound at the City Bakery and restaurant, 1038 I street.

A. G. Leverone was arrested yesterday on a charge of battery preferred by Joseph Garbarino.

Whittaker's Boneless Hams; best in the world. Seropian Bros., opposite postoffice, sole agents.

The Ideal Clothing House will sell you an overcoat for less money than any other house in the city.

The visiting school marms furnish further proof that intellect and beauty go together very often.

Children's, boys' and men's overcoats sold at extremely low prices at the Ideal One Price Clothing House.

The Hermann's Sons will watch the old year out and the new in Saturday evening. A pleasant entertainment will be given.

Overcoats almost given away at the Ideal One Price Clothing House. For prices look in their windows.

Call and see our handsome books of famous scenes. Just the thing for a Xmas gift. Herbert and Brooks.

See the splendid display of cakes made especially for the holiday trade at the City Bakery and restaurant, 1038 I street.

Marshall & Wilson, Fruitvale Nursery Depot, I street, opposite Kutner's, have full lines of fruit and ornamental trees.

The very best of Vaccine Virus, and scientifically applied at Deardoff's & Davidson's offices, rooms 3 and 4, Fresno Loan and Savings Bank building.

Ex-Governor St. John, the well-known Prohibitionist, will deliver four lectures in this county in February. He will visit Fresno, Selma, Reedley and Kingsburg.

The experts' report No. 2 on the court house additions was not opened yesterday by the supervisors, owing to Chairman White's absence. The matter was continued till this morning.

The Misses Martin, assisted by Mrs. J. M. Martin, Mrs. A. E. Wagstaff and Mrs. G. N. Freman, will receive on New Year's day at their residence, 337 O street, from 2 to 10 o'clock p.m.

Captain Hull and Lieutenant Harmon of the Salvation Army will leave Fresno today for Reno, Nev. They will be succeeded by Captain Van Loan and Lieutenant Simpson of San Francisco.

The commencement concert given by the University Glee club at Shattuck hall last evening was a most pronounced success. In addition to the several numbers on the program each selection was followed by an encore of equal excellence. The hall was filled and by their liberal applause and encores the audience showed their appreciation of the entertainment.—Berkeley Herald.

Redden & Collins are in it. *

Magazines bound at J. A. Slater's. *

Our Foresight.

Anticipating a lack of funds with most people this year we bought a line of holiday goods within the reach of all, consisting of decorated china, fancy lamps, etc. Paul Borchardt, 1022 I street. *

Fresh shrimps and crabs at Blackler's*

To the Men of Fresno—Accept our thanks for your patronage. Our new stock of cigars has arrived; you can get nothing finer in town. Levy & Langley, Eureka Cigar Store, 1730 Mariposa street. *

THE EDUCATORS.

Second Day of the County Teachers' Institute.

STATE ASSOCIATION MEETING

Reforms to Be Inaugurated—An Able Paper By President Baldwin.

Manager Horack of the Barton opera house rubbed his hands together ecstatically last night, as he stood in the foyer and gazed upon the crowded house that greeted the opening of the session of the State Teachers' association.

It was a house of which any manager might well be proud, even if there was not a dollar more than the rent in the box office. It was a well behaved house not being demonstrative to be sure, but well bred and appreciative and to make the occasion all the more enjoyable there was no gallery.

BRILLIANT LIGHTS.

The great guns of the teachers' profession were there. Among the brilliant lights representing the State University were Joseph LeConte, President Kellogg, Professor Moses and Professor E. Brown.

Palo Alto, the home of fast trotters, United States senators, railroad barons and football, was represented by David Starr Jordan and Professors Earl Barnes and Wood. Representing that successful incubator of teachers, the Normal school, were Professor Kleeberger and Miss Shallenberger of San Jose. The remaining Bergers are expected on this afternoon's train.

Professor Dozier and Hutton represented the Los Angeles Normal school.

The Chico Normal school was unrepresented, Principal Pierce of that conservatory of brains not yet having arrived. City Superintendent Babcock and Principals O'Connor, Kennedy, Merrill and Sturgis represented San Francisco. Principal O'Connor owns a vineyard in this county and teaches the vines how to shoot when he comes down here on vacation. On this occasion he is combining business with pleasure.

Mrs. Sarah B. Cooper, the mother of the San Francisco kindergarten schools, was also present.

The address of welcome was made by George E. Church, and the response on behalf of the teachers by State Superintendent Anderson.

VALUABLE SUGGESTIONS.

President Baldwin read a valuable paper on the history and progress of the State Teachers' association. He touched feelingly upon the exorbitant rates of fare charged by the Southern Pacific monopoly in this state, and suggested that reductions equal to those allowed delegates to state political conventions should be granted to teachers on the way to state teachers' conventions. The limited salaries of the great mass of teachers do not warrant the payment of high fares. Only for this obstacle the conventions would be much better attended.

At the last session of the association several important amendments had been made to the constitution, one of which was to the effect that the officers should be selected directly from the membership. The association has effected many radical reforms, among these the adoption into the public schools of the kindergarten system. There are, however, many other vital reforms which the association should endeavor to inaugurate. The papers issued from the normal schools of this state should be a passport to the highest schoolroom in the state.

One of the most important reforms accomplished is the creation of the chair of pedagogy in the State university. What is needed now is the elimination of the farcial attempts now made to determine the qualifications of applicants for teachers' certificates. It is because of the indignities to which the profession is subjected that many of the ablest superintendents and principals of schools have resigned their positions to accept chairs of higher honor in colleges and universities.

That part of the school law pertaining to the issuance of teachers' certificates should be revised and a closer union of the states should be effected by the National Teachers' association in the recognition by a state of teachers' certificates, diplomas, etc., issued by another state.

The lack of system and of uniformity prevailing in the counties of California in the matter of recognizing certificates issued by other counties was commented upon at length. For instance, Monterey county adopting the Republican idea of protection, requires an 85 per cent first-grade certificate of its resident teachers, while 88 per cent certificates are exacted for the same grade from teachers who come from another county. Similar discriminations are made by Los Angeles and several other counties, while Alameda grants certificates upon certificates issued by those counties who favor reciprocity with Alameda.

The speaker suggested that the president and secretary of the California State Teachers' association communicate with the corresponding officers of the like association in other states for the purpose of having them appoint committees to instruct the congressmen as to the necessity for a national department of education and to wait upon the senators in their respective states with the same object in view.

There should be also an interstate recognition of state certificates. This proposition has been heartily indorsed by the school superintendents of Missouri, Nebraska, Oregon, Ohio and others. The only dissenter is Superintendent Rabb of Illinois, who says that as long as certain states do not require professional training of teachers in State Normal colleges he cannot advocate any recognition of such certificates.

California stands almost alone in the recognition of other state papers.

A SESSION OF SONG.

The musical part of the session was no less of a success than the literary part. It began with a chorus "Tramp O'er Moss and Fell." Then followed a quartet, "King Winter," by Mrs. J. W. Evans, Mrs. T. J. Kirk, and Messrs. Rice and Telfer. The singing was heartily applauded and for cause.

Miss Kate Balthis sang a solo from "Trovatore," and in response to a well-merited encore she warbled a sweet Scotch song. Miss Balthis is not a Patti, but she sings like a nightingale in Persia.

The County Institute.

The session of the county institute, which began at 9 o'clock in the morning, was well attended. President C. H. Keyes read papers on "Methods and Purposes of the Primary Reading Class," "Technical Grammar" and "History." Professor Charles H. Allen spoke on "Powers of Mind Requiring Special Training" and "School Government." "Home-made Apparatus" was the subject of Professor George R. Kleeberger's remarks.

THE STOCKTON BOOMERS.

The Stockton contingent arrived yesterday afternoon, determined to have Stockton chosen as the next place of meeting. They are a live lot of people and are likely to capture the next convention.

The following named Fresno county teachers are in attendance at the institute:

George A. Eogar, Samuel H. Cohn, Karl A. Ploden, W. C. Dow, H. C. Shelton, C. A. Armstrong, A. W. Frederick, G. D. Hines, Frank N. Miller, Jonas Soldner, B. A. Hawkins, Frank Kauke, H. W. Weeme, T. L. Heaton, Frank Lane, C. L. McLane, H. F. Walter, L. D. Cook, Samuel Wash, George D. Stone, John B. Dymot, Lewis E. Hughson, C. S. Thompson, J. J. Connelly, S. Ruden, S. E. Reddon, A. R. Leming, J. A. Larew, George Freman, R. McCourt, George Cosgrove, George Selby, T. E. Maxwell, John Wash, Elwood E. Douglas, C. W. Ward, William McNaul, C. H. Maxwell, S. E. Payne, G. W. Cartwright, W. L. Williams, F. Kenyon, J. W. Evans, M. B. Harris, J. I. Taylor, L. S. Smith, J. S. Larew, J. W. Traber, C. J. Maxwell, Ora J. Traber, F. K. Barthel, H. L. Swisher, Reese Copsey, C. I. Thorn, A. W. Eddy, P. R. Green, C. J. Walker, F. R. Gauch, E. W. Lindsay, M. E. Brooks, O. S. Taylor, C. J. Eubanks, A. C. Barker, Mrs. L. E. Brennen, Mrs. Alice Hobbs, Mrs. N. E. Whitten, Mrs. Mamie Mills, Mrs. M. Wendell, Mrs. A. H. Curran, Mrs. S. M. Roberts, Mrs. Kate Scheuch, Mrs. Sarah E. Geis, Mrs. Frankie Barker, Mrs. Ida Pinkley, Mrs. Annie Burns, Mrs. E. Staub, Mrs. M. Garrison, Misses Winfred Wear, Maud M. Gill, Kate Balthis, Minnie Basham, Sarah Stout, Annie Dickenson, Edith Clark, M. F. Kenny, Nettie Scott, Minnie Maher, Ada Blood, Nettie Theisen, Leota McCreary, Jennie Epsey, Merritt Ely, Annie Waggatt, Callie Freeman, Mary A. Gee, Zeta Thomas, Frances Scott, Mabel Minard, Hattie Adams, Stella Cutler, Ludora E. Wheeler, Ida V. McDonald, Margarett Huey, Florence Bartling, Celia Williams, Imogene Anderson, Elizabeth Fernald, Nellie Gilmore, Salia Sledge, Winnie Sledge, Nellie Booth, L. A. Root, Eva Gilmore, Agnes Henry, Annie Darling, Mary E. Norton, Annie Steinmitz, M. M. Stebbins, Cora Rowell, Anna Nicholson, Gertrude Rowell, Texana Hawkins, Florence A. Puffer, Kittie Henry, C. C. Pendergrast, Caddie Boynton, Ede Cutler, Jessie E. Martin, Annie Ackworth, Marion Race, Lucy E. Dorman, Helen C. Atterberry, Kate E. Linehan, Floy Burke, Jessie F. Whitney, Artie G. Williams, Ida M. Windate, Adelia M. Witt, Sallie A. Bledsoe, Edith Woolsey, May Slouicker, Sue J. Brown, Ida Carter, S. Jensen, Lou Bark, Maggie Murphy, Josie Rider, Anita Judson, Anna Swenson, Sallie E. Porter, Fannie M. Stone, Russie Martin, Mabel Wallace, May L. Smith, Eva L. Turner, Nellie Breyfogle, Lillian Breyfogle, Stella Bagnelle, May Borden, Maud Cunningham, Julia Roff, Rena Dorman, Hattie Bolitho, Frances Conn, Minnie Roff, Eleanor Yeargin, Emma Houlton, Maggie McCormick, Eva Storer, Carrie Brewer, Julia Dahlgren, Margaret Wear, Gussie Cole, Della Vandervoort, Irene Baird, Mabel Sharp, Rose Patterson, Clara J. Boyer, Carrie J. Weaver, Rachel Ward, Blanche Hotaling, Josie Garrison, Nellie Ayer, M. E. Allen, Hattie Cole, Nannie Carrington, Mellie Borton, Nora Meadows, Lizzie Rossen, Nellie Brewer, Mollie Brewer, Sadie Scott, Sallie I. Willis, Edna Miner, Grace Kimball, Helen D. Grier, Louise Scott, Agnes Gillerpie, Maggie Gillespie

PERSONAL.

S. C. Lillis of Lillis is in the city.

L. Heilbron is up from Wild Flower.

J. A. Bacon of Pine Ridge is in the city.

A. Albrecht and wife of Fowler spent yesterday in Fresno.

J. L. Gill of St. Joseph, Mo., is spending a few days in Fresno.

W. M. Burton and J. F. Burton came in from Letcher yesterday.

Ben Doro leaves today for San Francisco for a few days vacation.

Waldo P. Parkhurst of Sanger had business in Fresno yesterday.

S. Goldstein and Master M. Goldstein of San Francisco are visiting in Fresno.

E. H. Kowalsky is down from San Francisco looking after his interests here.

S. Lewald of the Gutner-Goldstein Co., Selma, was in Fresno yesterday on business.

Joshua Peckham is home from the University of California to spend the holidays.

Professor Joseph Le Conte, the famous evolutionist, arrived last evening from Berkeley.

Mrs. Thomas Thornton of Oakland is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Vanderlip.

Miss Gardette of Bakersfield is here attending the teachers' convention, and is the guest of Miss Hattie Adams on H street.

Judge M. K. Harris has returned from Merced, where he occupied the bench for Judge Law to hear a contested election case.

George E. Knepper, editor of the Santa Barbara Press and superintendent of schools in that city, is in Fresno attending the convention.

R. E. Wilhoit, president of the Stockton board of education, and Messrs. George C. Turner and H. C. Holman, members of the same body, are at the Hughes, the headquarters of the Stockton delegation of teachers.

Kruger School.

Names of pupils who obtained more than 80 per cent on the final examination for the term ending December 23, 1892, are as follows:

George Machen 85, Ralph Wofford 92, Mamie Wilson 92, Willie Brown 85, Bertha Hutchens 88, Maude Hendry 91, Bennie Brown 85, Lee Wofford 92, Etta Brown 94, Henry Biggs 91, Annie Brown 94, Viola Landrum 92, Willie Brooks 85, John Anton 85.

Primary department—Ira Husted 89, Walter Hensley 81, Guy Wofford 85, Willie Landrum 95, Hugh McClung 86, Sadie Hunsaker 95, Clyde Hutchens 81, Benhart Newman 83, Harold Newman 86, George O'Brien 81, John Wilson 84, Claudie Hendry 86.

Pupils who obtained 90 per cent: Lisle Handry, Erma McCourt, Elsie Barker, Hazel Holmes, Gracie Hunsaker, Ada Simonds, Bertha Kincaid, Jennie Brown, Gracie Brooks, Frank Crane, Chester Crane, Arthur Kincaid, Bennie Gilbert, Lois Stevens, Theo Hutchens.

R. McCourt principal, Mrs. F. Barker assistant.

THE MONTEREY ROAD.

It Will be Built Upon a Reasonable Bonus.

Colonel A. W. Jones has gone to Monterey to confer with leading citizens of that place regarding the construction of the proposed Monterey & Fresno railroad. When he returns to this city another meeting will be called and a new proposition will be submitted to the people of Fresno.

They will be asked not to take stock but to subscribe a bonus, to be paid only after the road has been constructed and in actual operation.

Fresno Hunters.

The Honorable R. B. Terry, General Muller and Dr. A. J. Pedlar of Fresno, arrived last Saturday morning and in company with our genial drayman, E. E. Pedlar, spent the day in the neighboring fields hunting geese and ducks. They were quite successful and returned to their homes with well filled game sacks. Sportsmen from all over the state claim this to be the best hunting ground that can be found anywhere.—Los Banos Enterprise.

Redden & Collin's sell coal. *

All straight whiskeys at the Bodega. *

Free Vaccination.

In conformity with the order of the City Board of Health a free vaccination office will be opened today at the City Hall, in the Recorder's court room.

Only reliable bovine virus will be used and those who avail themselves of the city's generosity may rely on being skilfully and carefully treated. Hours: 10 to 12 a.m., 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. *

MORGAN ENJOINED

From Collecting Taxes on Bank Deposits.

SEVERAL INJUNCTION SUITS

Outcome of the Dispute Between Assessor Lyons and the Protestants.

The dispute between City Assessor Lyons and several banks of this city in regard to the assessment of the deposits in those banks has been taken into court. Injunction suits were filed in the superior court yesterday by the Fresno National bank, First National bank, Farmers' bank and the Bank of Central California, in each of which John D. Morgan, ex-officio tax collector of the city of Fresno, is defendant. It is sought to restrain Morgan from selling property belonging to the plaintiffs to collect the tax mentioned. As the allegations in the several complaints are the same it will only be necessary to give the contents of one of the complaints.

The Fresno National bank in its complaint alleges that it is a corporation, that C. O. Lyons is city assessor of the city of Fresno and John D. Morgan, the defendant, ex-officio tax collector of Fresno city. Last March, in accordance with the law, the plaintiff made and delivered to Assessor Lyons a written statement under oath, setting forth specifically all real and personal property owned by the plaintiff, or under its control, at 12 m. on the first Monday in March.

After receiving this statement the assessor, without authority of law and wrongfully, made certain entries, alterations and interlineations therein, and thereupon entered said assessment, as altered, upon the assessment books of the city of Fresno. Thereafter the assessor wrongfully purported to make a further and additional and arbitrary assessment of certain property claimed to be assessable to said plaintiff, the bank, as "fiduciary agent, trustee, manager, or bailee of John Doe, Richard Roe et al., depositors with said bank." The amount of this assessment was $207,280 and the tax $2072.80, all of which was entered by the assessor on the city assessment books.

Plaintiff further alleges that Tax Collector Morgan has received the delinquent tax roll of the city, and will, unless restrained by the court, sell certain real property belonging to the plaintiff to collect said tax. The plaintiff alleges upon information and belief that said assessment was entered without authority of law and wrongfully, and is null and void. Also that the depositors had already been assessed for said amount, and that therefore a double assessment has been made.

Judgment is therefore asked by plaintiff that said pretended arbitrary assessment be adjudged illegal and void, and that defendant be forever restrained from proceeding under said assessment, or from selling property of the plaintiff to satisfy the same.

Frank H. Short is attorney for the plaintiff, George E. Church is attorney for the First National, George A. Monroe for the Bank of Central California, and Tupper & Tupper for the Farmers' bank.

A temporary injunction was granted yesterday by Judge Harris in each case.

Farewell Party.

On Monday evening a few of Mr. Bishop's friends assembled at Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Stephens' to bid him good bye, he being about to leave for his old home in Chicago. There were present Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Stephens, Misses Nellie Eden, Mae B. Scott, Russie Martin, Marguerite Minard, Mabel Minard, Gertie Landrum, Lulu Landrum, Emma Brock, Messrs. J. W. Bishop, Harris Bean, Wick Parsons, Arthur Chance, Alonzo Chance, Guy Windrum, Will Minard, Will D. Scott, Mr. Reed, Mr. Willis, Willie Martin, J. H. Stephens and others.

The Fresno Exhibit.

A portion of the Fresno county exhibit to be sent to the World's Fair has been taken out of the basement of the Hughes block last night and placed in the rooms of the Fresno County World's Fair commission for exhibition during the meeting of the State Teacher's association.

With many clergyman, public speakers, singers, and actors, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the favorite remedy for hoarseness and all affections of the vocal organs, throat and lungs. Its anodyne and expectorant effects are promptly realized. *

Special attention is called for the holidays to families desiring fine Sonoma and Santa Clara wines of all kinds. A complete supply on hand. Also direct importer of pure whiskeys from the Aurora Distilling Company, 5th District, Ky. Satisfaction guaranteed. Oscar Groenebaum, 1154 J street, opposite postoffice. Telephone 196. *

Extraordinary Liberality.

During the holiday season, as an extra Christmas gift to their customers, the Great American Importing Tea Co's stores will present their customers with extra premiums, over and above their usual presents. Their teas, coffees and spices are superior in quality, purity and cheapness.

Their china and crockery department is replete with new goods of new designs. Prices one-half old time rates. Special Christmas bargains in dinner, tea and toilet sets. *

Special Christmas Offering.

We sell dinner, tea and toilet sets of handsome designs, crockery, glass and chinaware at one-half old time prices. Our Mocha and Java coffee is perfection. Our pure teas and spices have no equal. At Great American Importing Tea Co's stores. An extra Christmas gift given to each customer. *

Watson's Peerless Polish is the only shoe dressing that preserves your shoes from the alkali dust. Manufactured in Los Angeles. Especially for Pacific Coast trade. For sale everywhere. *

Christmas chairs, quite appropriate for a present at D. H. William's Furniture House, I street, opposite Hughes Hotel. *

Major S. is ever welcome, as also all my friends are, to call and see me, when they smoke the fragrant and choice cigars from the Eureka Cigar Store, 1739 Mariposa street. Yours, Jennie. *

Order your wood and coal from Wood & Dorsey, 856 I street, telephone 15.*

Always take your prescriptions to Smith Bros., the most competent druggists. *

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

A Miner From Dunlap Wants to Go As an Exhibit.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN.—I see by your last paper that a Mr. Booth wants to go to the great World's Fair to drive stage as of old when Chicago was a wee town. Now if he should go I think I should go too, as I rode in a stage before any railroad was built to that place. Besides if I was a writer I could tell you of an exciting trip I had that time. Not only that—I came to this coast before California was a state, and I have been up and down, over and under the state since that time.

As a miner I could tell you some big stories of early days. Now, Mr. Editor, wouldn't it be a pretty good thing if the miners of California would send some old pioneer to the fair with a rocker, and have him take along some gravel containing some gold and have him handle it as we did in early days.

Another idea struck me last summer when I was out in the mountains. If I could write well like Mark Twain or some others, I would travel the ground over and write a book. The title would be, "Now and Then," but I can't write nor sketch, so I expect I must chop wood, haul water, or raise chickens or the like.

If there is anything in these few lines that you can extract or fix up for an article you are welcome to it.

J. N. LOCKWOOD.

Dunlap, December 20th.

MARIE BUCHANAN

Now on the Way to England With Her Father.

E. S. Auburn of this city has received a letter from Mrs. Ellen Trees, giving an account of the alleged kidnapping in Oakland of Marie Buchanan, her granddaughter.

Mrs. Trees and her daughter kept a millinery shop in this city for several years. Last spring the 14-year-old daughter of Mrs. Buchanan put on a suit of boy's clothing, and gripsack in hand walked down to the railroad depot to take the train for San Francisco. She was recognized, however, and brought home.

Then her mother and grandmother took her to Oakland and placed her to board with a family named Lamb, from whose home the girl was abducted, presumably by her father who had come out from England for that purpose.

Mrs. Trees is very bitter against the Lambs, whom she accuses of being accessory to the kidnapping.

A SMOOTH FORGER.

He Victimizes a Hotel Man and a Barkeeper.

A suave young man named Poppins registered and engaged room and board at the Hughes hotel a few days ago and after having made himself agreeable adroitly cashed a check purporting to have been signed by Poppins senior, a San Francisco lumber merchant.

He left the hotel yesterday morning and shortly afterwards the check was discovered to be a forgery.

He also did business with a saloon keeper named John Drager who now mourns the possession of a worthless piece of paper.

The police are on the young man's trail, but he has left town.

Grady Immortalized.

C. Mareighee, a talented Italian, has issued a statuette of Policeman A. N. Grady out of a block of redwood. It is an artistic bit of sculpture, and represents Mr. Grady holding a three-foot club raised in his right hand ready to descend upon the head of an obstreperous drunk.

"A snake in the grass" is all the more dangerous from being unsuspected. So are many of the blood medicines offered the public. To avoid all risk, ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is just out for the new year. *

Plumbing and Tin Shops Removed.

E. Magee has removed his plumbing and tin shops from 1237 J street, opposite city hall, to corner Fresno and K streets. Job work promptly attended to. *

Attention, Beer Drinkers.

The Old Palm Garden is the only place in Fresno you can secure eastern and the celebrated Pabst Milwaukee beer.

Fresh Frankforters every day. *

Blackler has moved. *

Prescriptions filled lower than the lowest at Smith Bros. *

Dandruff permanently cured with Smith's Dandruff Pomade; has no equal; try it; guaranteed to cure. *

New and novel line of toilet sets at Herbert & Brooks. *

W. * * * * *
Parker * * * * *
Lyon, * * * * *
(Not King of beasts) * * *
But * * * *
Furniture * * * *
King, * * * * *
1019 * * * * *
I street. * * * *

Redden & Collins have more wood than some people have hay, and they are selling it too. Telephone 49. *

Blank books to order at J. A. Slater's*

Pure whisky for medical use at the Bodega. *

Window glass at Donahoo, Emmons & Co. *

Corns! corns! Smith's Corn Paint is guaranteed to cure. *

New and elegant line of furniture and carpets at D. H. Williams, I street, opposite Hughes Hotel. *

Cigars! People prefer buying cigars where they get the best value in the city. That is the reason of the increase of trade at the Eureka Cigar Store, 1730 Mariposa street. *

Heating and cook stoves; best stock; best prices at Donahoo-Emmons & Co.*

New line easels, book shelves, etc., McVey's. *

Wood & Dorsey, telephone 15, wrapping paper, paper bags and twine at wholesale. *

New line secretaries at McVey's. *

Redden & Collins say, "try our large second growth oak for heating stoves; prices will suit." Telephone 49. *

Don't buy your Christmas cakes until you see our fine stock of assorted, ornamental iced and plain cakes. We use only the best material and first-class workmanship. Get our prices, cheaper than ever. Vienna Bakery, F. Knobloch, proprietor. *

Oh, why do you suffer with rheumatic and neuralgic pains when the Oil of Eden removes the seed of all pains. For sale by all druggists. *

DR PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder—No Ammonia, No Alum.

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

THE BACK TRACK

Taken by the Triangle on the Meat Ordinance.

THE JOB WAS TOO BRAZEN

Another Chinatown Saloon Wanted. A Very Cool Bill of the Electric Company.

At the adjourned meeting of the city trustees yesterday the meat peddlers' ordinance, which was passed at the previous meeting for the benefit of the butchers' trust, was so amended as to practically repeal it.

Mr. Alford moved the amendment and explained that he had been subjected to much unjust censure because of the ordinance. He gave notice that at the next meeting he would introduce an ordinance providing for the appointment of a meat inspector.

THE CITY PRINTING.

Fahey and Alford presented a report recommending that the contract for city advertising be awarded to the Expositor on the ground that the Expositor was the lowest bidder.

Street Superintendent Jones was appointed as an expert to inquire into the job printing bids and to report at the next meeting.

SPECIAL POLICEMAN ELGAN.

F. Elgan was appointed a special policeman without pay.

FAVORING A STREET FAKIR.

A petition was received from a dealer in holiday goods doing business in the Fiske block to reduce his license as a street fakir from $10 to $5 a day. On motion of Church the petition was granted.

ANOTHER SALOON LICENSE.

A petition was received from F. Luchetti asking for a license to conduct a saloon at 1131 F street. Filed.

PAYING FOR THE PLANT.

Alford exhibited a bill not yet filed, demanding from the city $733 95, the value of electric light wires and poles erected by the Fresno Electric Light and Gas company. Alford said that if the bill were paid the poles and wires should become the property of the city. "I think it would be advisable for this board," he added, "to take steps to put in electric lights of our own and prevent the city from being robbed in this way."

BILLS.

The following bills were allowed:

Redden & Collins, coal	$68 40
J. W. McDonald, special police	5 00
Thomas Doyle, street work	2 50
David Lepper, sewer work	5 00

H. E. Ragin asked for a rebate of $1.00 paid by him on improvements on his real estate. He said that he had given the improvements to the assessor, but that he afterwards discovered that the improvements had not been placed on his property until after the first Monday of last March.

The board denied the petition.

The board adjourned until Tuesday night.

Pabst Milwaukee beer at the old Palm Garden, opposite Hughes Hotel. *

Set of bread, cake and paring knives; something new at Donahoo, Emmons & Co. *

Queen olives in bulk at Blackler's*

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For
Holiday Presents. *

Xmas trees at Blackler's. *

Finest line of albums in the city, including the new stand album, at Herbert & Brooks, 1151 J street. *

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Kid Gloves in every length and at all prices
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Fancy Linen Tea Sets
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28 pair Lace Curtains	2 00 per pair
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25 pair Lace Curtains	3 00 per pair
33 pair Lace Curtains	3 50 per pair
15 pair Lace Curtains	4 00 per pair
17 pair Lace Curtains	5 00 per pair
Extra heavy and wide Lace Curtains $6, $7.50, $8, $9 and	10 00 per pair

Table Linen.

Cream Table Linen (all linen), 30c per yard.
Cream Table Damask, 50c—regular price 75c.
Cream Table Damask, Cardinal Border, 50c—cheap at 75c
Cream Table Damask, 75c—reduced from $1.
Bleached Table Damask, 50c—the best value ever offered
Bleached Table Damask, 75c—good value for $1.
Bleached Table Double Damask, $1—regular price $1.25

Towels, Towels.

All Linen Towels, 12½c, 15c, 20c.
All Linen Huck Towels, cardinal and blue borders, 23 inches wide, 44 inches long, 25c
Cream Huck Towels, all Linen, 22 inches wide, 40 inches long, 25c.
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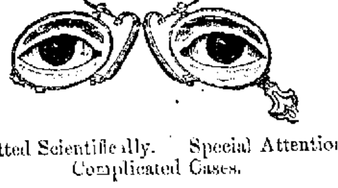
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POOR MAN'S FRIEND COLUMN

There will be an important announcement in this column from

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1027, 1029 and 1031 I Street.

Watch for It

DEATH INTERFERES

WITH THE RECOUNT IN THE CONTEST CASES.

Judge Law's Sister-in-Law Dies. Norris and Austin Gain One Vote.

The election contest cases were resumed before Judge Law in department one of the superior court yesterday morning. During the proceedings the judge received a telegram from Merced announcing the death in that city of his brother's wife. He therefore adjourned the court shortly before noon and took the train to Merced. The hearing of the cases was continued till next Friday morning.

At yesterday morning's session Madera precincts Nos. 1 and 2 were first admitted. The two Selma precincts and Sanger No. 1 were also admitted. The witnesses examined were W. C. Ring, L. H. Lubrecht, E. H. Tucker, George B. Otis and Frank Lindsay.

The ballots from Madera No. 2 were counted first, the package being less voluminous than the others. It was discovered that a ballot had been rejected in this precinct because the voter had after marking a cross opposite one of the constitutional amendments scratched it out with a lead pencil and stamped another cross below it. The court decided that the ballot should not have been rejected and pronounced it good. The ballot being a Democratic one, Norris and Austin gained one each by this ruling. This was the only change in that precinct.

Only a few days ago Judge Law rejected a ballot cast in Fresno No. 7 because there was an ink blot near the upper left corner. The court held that it appeared as if the blot may have been put there by the voter in order to identify the ballot. The blot was very likely accidentally caused by one of the election clerks during the count. The court, however, who seems to be an expert on inks, said the blot was not made with the kind of ink used at the polling place. This ballot was cast by a Republican.

The witnesses before mentioned were members of different election precincts admitted yesterday morning and they testified as to the condition of the packages at the time they delivered them to the county clerk. They said the packages were properly sealed. Several of the witnesses stated that the sealing wax supplied the election boards was of very poor quality and that it was a difficult matter to seal the packages properly.

Judge Law stated he would permit the counting of the ballots in the packages on which the seals had been broken, but if he afterwards discovered anything that indicated the seals had been tampered with he would throw such precincts out, accepting the official count, as made by the supervisors.

The court has not receded from his ruling requiring the identification of the packages, but this matter will no doubt be brought up again by the contestants.

JOHN C. PELTON.

A Veteran School Teacher Writes Poetry.

"Sunbeams and Shadows" is the title of a neat volume of poems just issued by the veteran educator John C. Pelton. It is on sale at 25 cents per copy.

Mr. Pelton and family are in need, and have been obliged to occupy a room in the San Francisco city hall, through the courtesy of Mayor Sanderson.

He is now aged, and prevented by infirmity from earning his living. He taught the first free public school on the Pacific coast and was prominently identified with the schools of this state for nearly forty years, having been elected the first school superintendent of San Francisco.

MALE MASQUERADERS.

Members of Visalia's 400 Don Women's Clothes.

From The Republican's Special Correspondent.

VISALIA, December 27.—Ed Brown and Wesley Chatlin, sons of old and excellent families, and both leaders in society here, attended the show last night dressed in woman's attire.

They were discovered and notified by an officer to appear in court this morning, but the case was postponed. The young men are generally condemned.

S. N. Mitrovich's restaurant was attached today by Joe Mendich.

George H. Heisinger of Goshen has filed a petition in insolvency.

Blizzard Struck.

CHARLESTON, S. C., December 27.—A blizzard struck Charleston this morning and for the first time in fifteen years the housetops are covered with snow and sleet. Orange trees are injured and will probably bear only one crop this year.

Fort Monroe—The worst blizzard in twenty years struck this vicinity about midnight, and snow has been falling ever since. Navigation is suspended.

Quite Cannibalistic.

CITY OF MEXICO, December 27.—A few days ago the body of a boy 5 years old was found in a vacant lot with 250 bites and burns on it. It is now discovered that the authors of the dreadful cruelty were an uncle and an aunt of the child, who was left an orphan, with three others, to them to care for. As the others are missing it is believed they have also been made away with.

The Vampires.

There will be a grand parade of the Vampire club, headed by the Park band, next Saturday at midnight. Report at Fred Gauls' cigar store at 12 o'clock.

Finely powdered Peruvian bark is recommended to keep bangs in curl in moist weather. It is applied with a powder puff. Unfortunately this suggestion is valuable only to persons with blond or light brown hair. On black hair the powder shows a fine dust and cannot be used.

Don't give up your steamer chair when your European trip is over. It still has possibilities. Let it go along with the luggage to the country boarding place or summer hotel. There, stretched out with a shawl and cushions, it will be found a most comfortable lounging place.

Mme. Meissonier has offered to the French government the whole of the pictures by her late husband which she possesses, together with the entire contents of the celebrated painter's studio, so that a Meissonier museum may be formed.

For a stiff neck, pains in the chest, etc., warm some sweet oil and rub on thoroughly with the hands; then cover with sheet wadding, the shiny side out. Wear it until you feel comfortable.

Numbers of skirt supporters are coming in the market. They are something like little chips in the form of flower-de-luce and other devices with chains and rings for the finger.

Colored glass bowls with silver mountings are for berries. Some have brackets for the berry spoons. The greater number have crumpled edges and are often of fanciful shape.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of That Body at the November Session.

ELECTION BILLS.

G Herminghouse	5 00
R Y Allen	5 00
A N Crawford	5 00
J Plumel	5 00
A J Arnundon	5 00
A Wellborn	5 00
J O Mowry	5 00
J C Dwells	10 00
M S Ireland	10 00
W F Rockwell	10 00
J B McCormick	10 00
C C Smith	10 00
Chas Ericksen	10 00
J F Summers	10 00
J R Ferguson	10 00
W A Allen	5 00
Wm Barnes	5 00
John Bardley	5 00
L W Fox	5 00
A S Russell	5 00
W A Howard	5 00
S B Root	5 00
Wm Hamilton	5 00
R Linche	5 00
R M C Hill	5 00
T T Barnes	5 00
J G Crump	5 00
John Bray	5 00
E O Jamison	5 00
J B Rogers	5 00
J F Barnes	5 00
Nelson Luke	5 00
C H Dustin	5 00
Theo Alviso	5 00
John McMann	5 00
W S English	5 00
J D Hitchcock	5 00
J B Ward	5 00
J T A Chestwood	5 00
J P Eaton	7 00
John Lawson	7 00
C H Dewey	7 00
Thos Moody	7 00
G A Bowers	5 00
Joseph Young	5 00
J T McCann	5 00
H B Kessler	5 00
B K Smith	5 00
W E Davis	5 00
P N Fisher	5 00
L A Sledge	5 00
W E Wolfe	10 00
G W Pool	10 00
W C Ring	10 00
A E Preciado	10 00
R L Hargrove	10 00
A D Marshall	10 00
W C Maze	10 00
J W Ragsdale	10 00
W G Woodson	10 00
J H Long	10 00
W L Williams	10 00
W J Dexter	10 00
Daniel Doherty	10 00
James Cullaton	10 00
C F Long	10 00
L H Lubrecht	10 00
George L Buford	5 00

The board adjourned until the 23d instant.

Fresno, November 23.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board. A C Williams clerk, by W S Badger deputy.

George C Roeding having filed his resignation as horticultural commissioner the same is accepted by the board and said office is declared vacant.

J S Bedford as surveyor and J S Bedford, E S Russell and J Kincaid as viewers are appointed to view and survey a proposed road in township 12, ranges 18 and 20, upon petition of L W Fox and others.

The office of park watchman is discontinued and the services of J G Wofford therein is dispensed with.

The petition of the residents of Washington colony asking that a license be not granted for conducting a saloon in said colony is denied upon the ground that the board has no discretion in the premises.

The board adjourned until the 25th instant.

November 25.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, T. C. White, J. Myer, F. F. Letcher. A. C. Williams clerk, by W. S. Badger deputy. Absent, Supervisors R. B. Butler, W. F. Hanke.

The board examined, allowed and ordered paid the following claims, to-wit:

Jas A Ward	$75 00
S S Crutcher	80 00
Dennis Hatch	81 03
J D Garretson	9 84
Mrs C P Holmes	4 76
Mrs J L Lake	8 61
Mrs J L Lake	2 80
Thos Dunn	14 76
J B Craven	6 16
Al Braverman	160 00
F M Chittenden	300 00
Thos Yost & Son	565 01
C H Riege	118 35
N D Gilbert	14 35
A J Wiener	147 00
J N Thacker	12 00
Ah Wong	9 00
H L Borgwardt Jr	1 60
C E Woolfolk	75
C C Corlew	2 00
George B Otis	5 00
Lamn & Woolfolk	48 01
M C DeCorbe	10 00
W D Hill	6 00
Mrs Emma Emerson	5 00
C A March	2 50
Isaac Harris	6 90
J H Long	1 00
R L Hogue	35 00
P A Canfield	10 00
Charles C Baley	15 00
E F Selleck	86 00
M O Abbott	31 25
George J Nees	39 75
W L Hedrick	30 00
C P Walton	34 00
J P Niel	42 50
W L Heine	50 75
J N McFetter	42 10
Wm Phillips	15 00
Mrs M B Stuart	75 00
G H Clapp	16 10
Valley Lumber Co	19 81
Kutner Goldstein Co	2 70
John Coyle	61 42
Owen Bros	14 05
W F Hanke	82 00
T C White	96 75
F F Letcher	78 00
Valley Lumber Co	276 75
H E Burleigh	233 00
Smith & McCardle	218 00
J H Burnett	9 50
John Da[illegible]le	22 25
West Side Lumber Co	14 90
Curtis Detective agency	24 75
F H Webster	4 00
E W Kay	4 70
O Black	15 80
Harry Rigelow	15 80
C A Coats	324 00
D S Wirick	175 50
W J Hoskins	144 00

The board adjourned until November 29th.

Fresno, November 29.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board; A. C. Williams clerk, by W. S. Badger deputy.

The board examined, allowed and ordered paid the following claims, to-wit:

T C White	24 00
F F Letcher	48 00
R B Butler	24 00
J Meyer	26 50
A C Ellis	13 50
O B Watts	10 00
I W Ernest	9 80
J A Waterman	100 00
J C Herrington	5 25
W T Osburn	18 00
J D Etter	24 00

The board declared a public highway the following to the width of 40 feet, to wit. Commencing at the qr sec cor on w line sec 20, tp 15 s, r 22 e; thence e through center of said sec 20 to lake; thence nw 40) feet; thence ne 411 feet; thence nw 558 feet; thence nw 1320 feet to sec cor common to sec 16, 17, 20 and 21, said tp and r. The following damages were awarded herein: To Franklin Duey, $75; to — Fuller, $75.

The board adjourned until the 5th instant.

Sperry's best family flour has led all others for forty years. *

NEW YEARS DAY.

THERE WILL BE CALLING AS USUAL.

A Partial List of Those Who Will Keep Open House.

The old custom of calling on New Year's Day will not go by unobserved in Fresno. A number of ladies have already announced their intention of receiving, and their names and those of the friends who will assist them are here given. Others who have the intention of keeping open house on New Year's Day may have the same announced by sending their names and those of their assistants to THE REPUBLICAN.

Mrs. Judge M. K. Harris will receive on Monday, January 2d, from 2 until 6 p.m., assisted by Mrs James R. B. Terry, J. W. Gearhart, E. C. Osborne, W. D. Crichton, J. P. Tyree of Vallejo, Misses Carrie Stevens, Mary Gillespie, Maggie and Myrtle Harrell, Kate Parsons, Mattie King Harris.

Miss Anna Laura Harris will receive on Monday, January 2d, from 3 o'clock until 9 o'clock p.m., assisted by Misses Kathryn Moultrie, Daisy Smith, Ella Rankin, Nemie Harby, Lou Anderson, Lizzie Thorn, Gezelle Lewis.

Mrs. William Lucas will receive calls on New Year's Day at St. James' rectory on Fresno street, assisted by Mesdames G. C. Grimes, William Helm, A. J. Pedlar, J. G. Rhodes, George H. Andross, and Miss Ora Davison.

Mrs. J. F. Bedford will be assisted by Mrs. John Austin, Misses Cora Winchell, Nanon Weaver, Maude and Gertrude McDonald, Mary Roscoe, Misses Osborne. On January 2d, after 1 p.m.

Mrs. J. M. Martin will receive, assisted by the Misses Frankie, Mary and Maud Martin, Mrs. A. E. Wagstaff and Mrs. G. N. Freman.

The Misses Helm will be assisted by Mrs. George I. Helm, Mrs. H. U. Maxfield, Miss Bettie Maupin, Miss Louise DeWitt.

A Clever Rifle Woman.

Miss Leale, the Guernsey "lady shot" who distinguished herself last year at Bisley, is adding to her first laurels. Thursday she was again among the riflemen on Bisley common, trying her hand at 200 yards, and in three shots putting on a magpie and a brace of inners. The "chit of a girl," as her admiring colleagues of the National Rifle association called her, evidently "means business" when she enters the ranks of marksmen. Miss Leale is a tall, slight girl of twenty one, fair haired and of a healthy complexion, neatly but very simply dressed, and perfectly natural and easy in manner. She believes in "a fair field and no favor" and scorns to accept any advantage in the way of a rifle below the regulation weight, or any other privilege, because she happens to be a woman.—Pall Mall Budget.

Paris Law Students Try to Interfere.

Mlle. Jeanne Chauvin, a lady law student, was to have appeared before the professors of the faculty of the law school, in Paris, France, a few weeks ago, to deliver a thesis which she had prepared in favor of the "emancipation of woman." On the day on which this was to have taken place a number of law students were present and created such a disturbance that it was found necessary to postpone the young lady's examination till another time. Yesterday, without giving any public notice of their intention, the young lady was called up, but although such secrecy had been observed many of the students were present. They, however, confined themselves to loudly applauding any objections which the professors made to Mlle. Chauvin's arguments.—Galignani's Messenger.

Successful American Women in Paris.

Among the American women in Paris who have achieved a distinct success as painters are Miss Gardner, the follower of Bouguereau; the Misses Greatorex, Miss Cecile Wentworth; Mrs. MacMonnies, wife of the eminent sculptor, who was a Miss Fairchild, of St. Louis; Miss Kate Carl; Miss Lee-Robbins, the pupil and follower of Carolus Duran; Miss Kinsella, of Brooklyn; Miss Baker, Miss Pattison, Miss Brown, of St. Louis, Miss Shepley and Miss Dalmey, of Boston, and Miss Nourse, of Cincinnati.—Paris Letter.

Adele Grant's Newport Raiment.

One of Miss Adele Grant's prettiest Newport toilets thus far this summer is an ivory serge skirt, with narrow gold braid wrought into anchors and cable cord about the bottoms. With it is donned a cornflower blue serge coat, with revers and pockets of ivory. A narrow gold cord girdle holds the bodice full at the waist, and the small, straight brimmed, blue, straw sailor hat is trimmed with ivory ribbons.—Newport Letter.

Good for the Hands.

"How does it happen that you alone of your large family have soft, plump hands, while all the others have such thin, bony ones?" I asked a pretty woman. "I'm sure I can't tell why I am so favored," she answered, "unless it is because I take more care of mine. I never wash my hands without afterward rubbing them until they tingle with a piece of soft white flannel."

Women with a tendency to what they prefer to call embonpoint for some time have carried about in pretty bonbon or plain pill boxes little pellets of saccharin ready for use in casual cups of tea or coffee in houses where the saccharin bowl has not been added to the sucrier.

The Working Girl's Vacation society, of New York city, is now in its ninth year. Nine hundred girls have been sent away for vacations of about two weeks each, and about 4,000 excursion tickets were given to girls who could only leave the city for a day at a time.

Fulfilling His Predictions.

Lieutenant Charles A. L. Totten, U. S. A., maintains that his calculations are being minutely fulfilled, and states that during the years 1895-6, reckoning from the September equinox, the clouds now gathering upon all sides will culminate. "This year is the central one of the seven with which the Gentile times close," he says. With respect to the pestilence now raging abroad, Lieutenant Totten conjures the powers that be to spare no vigilance. His warning is, "Enter into thy ports and close thy gates about thee until the indignation is past."

Tomatoes and Cancer.

Tomatoes are in season, and therewith has come again the cry that was raised last autumn, that the eating of them induces cancer. Cancer was as common in Britain long before tomatoes became cheap and popular as it is now, but such a fact will make no impression on those who choose to see some connection between the two, and who will perhaps tell us next year that cabbages induce consumption and green peas lead to epilepsy.—London Hospital.

Seven counties of northern Texas have refused to issue a marriage license to a sixteen-year-old boy and a widow of forty, who has thirteen children.

THE TOAD AND ITS JEWEL.

Interesting Superstitions About a Very Harmless Little Animal.

Many remarkable legends and folklore stories cluster around the natural history of the common garden toad. All early writers on the characteristic habits of this harmless little creature make it a point to never allude to it without interjecting a few cautionary notes on its "extremely venomous bite," or the awful effects of "inhaling the direful creature's breath." The facts in the case are that it cannot bite at all, and if it should it has no "venom" with which to inject the wound. When irritated the toad may exhale an offensive secretion by means of follicles on the neck and other parts of the body, but to suppose that this secretion is poisonous is the height of folly.

Another toad belief—one that was rife 300 years ago—was that the ugly little batrachian's head was set with a priceless jewel. Shakespeare alludes to this curious belief where he says:

"Sweet are the uses of adversity, which, like the toad, ugly and venomous, wears yet a precious jewel in its head."

The belief in the "toadstone" was not only current in England and the other countries of Great Britain, but was known to learned men as one of the popular fallacies of all Europe. In Hungary it was believed that the toad ate dust and drank dew as his only food and drink. The action of the dew on the dust and the dust on the dew was supposed to cause a secretion to form in the animal's stomach which was vomited up each spring during molting time.

The Jaques de Mahen collection of oddities at Rouen has a tray containing a dozen or fifteen of these so called "toadstones." But, as hinted above, the British belief was that the "toadstone" was to be found only in the head of the warty little animal. Fenton, who lived and wrote in the Sixteenth century, says, "There is to be found in the heads of old and great toads a stone they call borax or stelon, which, being used as rings, gives a forewarning of venom."

Lupton, writing about the year 1633, says: "The crepaudia or toadstone is very valuable. Touching any part envenomed by the bite of a rat, wasp, spider or other poisonous beast eases the pain and swelling thereof." During that uncertain period of time classed as the Middle Ages people in general believed that the toad had the power of charming its prey, as well as men and larger creatures. In classical times it was thought that no man could live who had the misfortune to be looked squarely in the eyes by a toad! In some respects this latter belief partakes of the nature of the legend of the basilisk.—St. Louis Republic.

The India Rubber Worm.

The latest triumph of Yankee inventive genius is an india rubber fishworm. It is said to be a remarkably good imitation of the common earth worm, is indestructible and in actual use proves as alluring to the fishes as the genuine article. The old fisherman will be quick to perceive its advantages. One can equip himself for a day's sport without digging over a whole garden in his search for bait. A handful of India rubber worms will last him a whole season, and there will be no necessity for pulling up the line every few minutes to see if the small fry nibblers have left the hook bare.

Possibly the greatest admirers of the new bait will be the feminine fishers, who, however expert with the hook and line, have never reached the point where they can impale an angle worm without a series of shudders. The only one who will find it a drawback will be the girl whose chief delight in fishing comes from the excuse it gives for keeping some young man at her side to handle the horrid worms. The invention of the rubber worm turns angling into an exact science, with no room for flirting accessories.—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

Sisal Grass.

Sisal grass is likely to prove a very important source of wealth for Mexico. It grows in long, narrow blades, often to the length of four or five feet, and these, when dry, curl up from side to side, forming a flexible string stronger than any cotton cord of the same size ever manufactured. It is in great demand among florists and among manufacturers of various kinds of grass goods, and it is said to be capable of being applied to many new uses. Ropes, cords, lines of any description and size may be manufactured of it, and a ship's cable of sisal grass is one of the possibilities of the future. It is almost impervious to the action of salt water, and is not readily decayed or disintegrated by moisture and heat. It takes its name from the port of Sisal, in Yucatan, through which it was formerly exported. —Board of Trade Journal.

Traveling Stones in Nevada.

The curious "traveling stones" of Australia are paralleled in Nevada. They are described as being perfectly round, about as large as a walnut and of an ivory nature. When distributed about on the floor, table, or any smooth surface within two or three feet of each other they immediately commence traveling toward each other and meet at a common center, and there lie huddled in a bunch like eggs in a nest. A single stone removed to a distance of four feet, upon being released returns to the heap, but if taken away as much as five feet remains motionless. It is needless to say that they are largely composed of magnetic iron ore.—Grass Valley Union.

Maltese Wit.

The poorer Maltese have a ready wit. An English officer, failing to make a Maltese understand what he meant, called the poor man "a fool." Understanding this much the man, who had traveled about a good deal, though he did not understand English, replied by asking, "Do you speak Maltese?" "No." "Do you speak Arabic?" "No." "Do you speak Greek?" "No." "Do you speak Italian?" "No." "Then if I be one fool you be four fools."—London News.



ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A

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Porterville navel oranges, 300 boxes apples, carload potatoes and onions, bananas, nuts, dates, bleached celery, green sage, cauliflower and dressed turkeys and all other luxuries of the season at Seropian Bros., J street, opposite postoffice. *

Dr. Southard, the oculist from Oakland, may be seen at Dr. Rowell's office Wednesday and Thursday. I have known Dr. Southard and his work for six years and can recommend him to pupils or teachers whose eyes need the attention of a specialist. T. L. HEATON *

Glee Club University of California.

The University Glee club gave another very successful concert at the M.E. church. The large and fashionable audience showed appreciation of the singing from the first number and encores were in demand all the evening. It is very rarely that a more able club can be found whose singing is characterized by such perfect harmony of tone. They sang as if swayed by a single impulse, and the effect is such as can only be produced by those animated with a keen love for musical art.—Oakland Tribune. *

Select something from D. H. William's Furniture House, I street, opposite Hughes Hotel, and your Christmas present will be useful as well as beautiful.*

Dr. J. O. Cooper's dental parlors removed to Garibaldi block, corner Mariposa and K streets, opposite court house park, next to Dr. Rowell's office. Fine work a specialty. Extracting 50 cents.*

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Itching piles are known by moisture like perspiration, causing intense itching when warm. This form as well as blind, bleeding or protruding, yield at once to Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly on parts affected, absorbs tumors, allays itching and effects a permanent cure. 50 cents. Druggists or mail. Circulars free. Dr. Bosanko, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by Smith Bros., druggists.

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The United States Dispensatory says: That "Onions are a stimulant, diuretic and expectorant; they increase the appetite and promote digestion." The juice made into syrup as in Dr. Gunn's Onion Syrup, has a specific action on the throat, lungs and air passages, it not only cures coughs, colds, croup and consumption, but its stimulating effect, strengthens and builds up the system afterward. As a tonic and restorative it has no equal. We solicit a trial in the most chronic and stubborn cases. Price 50 cents. Sold by Smith Bros., Druggists. *

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We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a cough, cold or any lung, throat or chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. For sale at Webster Bros.' City Drug Store, corner K and Mariposa sts. *

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ESTRAYED.

ESTRAYED—ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT, DEcember 21, 1892, two small bay mares; one has a small white spot in forehead, the other has no marks; both shod. Estrayed from our place at 1330 J street, Fresno. RIGGINS & REHORN. d25tf

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MRS. D. G. PHELPS, MIDWIFE, 809 M ST. ap6 1y

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Part 1—Division Sword Drill, 35 men.

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Trial By Jury

With the following cast:

Judge.....Mr. Ed White
Defendant.....Mr. W. P. Lyon
Counsel for the Plaintiff.....Mr. Sidney Platt
Usher.....Mr. Charles Telfer
Foreman of Jury.....Mr. Charles L. Wainwright
Plaintiff.....MRS. LYDIA WARREN-ROBERTS
Grand chorus of 30 voices, consisting of Bridesmaids, Jurymen and Spectators.
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MUSIC BY THE BARTON OPERA HOUSE Orchestra. Concert by Orchestra from 8:30 until Grand March. Costumers from San Francisco will be in attendance several days prior to ball.

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Assessment Notice.

LA PASA RICA VINEYARD COMPANY—Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California; location of property, Fresno county, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 23d day of December, A. D., 1892, an assessment of $20 (twenty dollars) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the Secretary, W. F. Forsey, Fresno, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 25th day of January, 1893, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on the 13th day of February, 1893, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

W. F. FORSEY.

Secretary of the La Pasa Rica Vineyard Company, Fresno, Cal. de25td

ORDINANCE NO. 264.

An Ordinance Determining the Public Interest and Necessity for the Acquisition, Construction, and Completion of Additional Sewers, and the Completion of the Sewer System.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY of Fresno do ordain as follows:

SEC. 1. It is hereby determined and declared that the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction, and completion in and for the City of Fresno of the following municipal improvements, to-wit: The acquisition, construction and completion of additional sewers and the completion of the sewer system of said city.

SEC. 2. It is hereby further determined and declared that the cost of said municipal improvement will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary usual income and revenue of said city.

SEC. 3. And it is hereby declared that it is the intention of this Board, in accordance with an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations, incorporated under the laws of this state, for the construction of water works, sewers, and all necessary public improvements or for any purpose whatever, and to repeal the act approved March 9, 1885, entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations of the fifth class, containing more than three thousand and less than ten thousand inhabitants, to obtain water works; also to repeal an act approved March 15, 1887, entitled "an act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations, incorporated under the laws of this state (approved March 19, 1889), after publication hereafter required by said act, fourteen days in the Daily Republican, a newspaper published in said city, consecutively, as often as said newspaper is published, at the next regular meeting of the board, after such publication, or after an adjourned meeting thereof, by ordinance to call a special election and submit to the qualified voters of said city the proposition of incurring a debt for the purposes set forth in such ordinance and as above stated.

SEC. 4. It is hereby declared that plans and estimates of the costs of said municipal improvements, above named were made and reported to this board, at its regular meeting on the 3d day of October, 1892, by J. D. Etter, a competent engineer, who has had experience in such work.

SEC. 5. An ordinance entitled "An ordinance determining the public interests and necessities for the acquisition, construction and completion of additional sewers and the completion of the sewer system," passed by the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, on the 3d day of October, 1892, and approved by the President of said Board on the same day, is hereby repealed.

SEC. 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval as provided by said act (approved March 19, 1889).

Passed this 19th day of December, 1892, by the following votes:

Ayes—Trustees Church, Herrington, Fahey, Alford and Cole.

Noes—None.

Approved this 19th day of December, 1892.

City Seal. S. H. COLE, President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno.

Attest: W. B. LESPETT, City Clerk. d20t14

Assessment Notice.

THE PRODUCERS' RAISIN PACKING COMpany of Fresno, location of principal place of business, Fresno City, Fresno county, state of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 1st day of December, 1892, an assessment (No. 2) of $10 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the secretary, at the office of the company, corner of "K" and San Diego streets, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, the 7th day of January, A.D. 1893, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold Friday, the 27th day of January, A.D. 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of the company, corner "K" and San Diego streets in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

[SEAL] W. F. FORSEY, Secretary of the Producers' Raisin Packing Company of Fresno.

Fresno City, Fresno County, State of California, December 1st, 1892. d2td

Sealed Proposals.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Trustees of the Caruthers School District, up to 4 o'clock p.m. of the 5th day of January, 1893, for the purpose of constructing a school building according to the plans and specifications now to be found at the Postoffice of the town of Caruthers, in the county of Fresno; a check for $50 to accompany each bid. A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the Caruthers School District.

P. A. KANAWYER,
J. J. TRUMAN,
A. H. TROUTWEIN.

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Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ANnual meeting of the stockholders of the Fresno Water Company will be held at the office of the company, in the Einstein building, on Wednesday, the 11th day of January, 1893, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the coming year, and for the transaction of any business that may properly come before the meeting.

JOHN J. SEYMOUR, President.

Attest: T. M. COLLIER, Secretary. d21t23

Delinquent Notice.

LA FAVORITA RAISIN VINEYARD COMpany.—Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of property, Fresno county, California.

Notice—There are delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the seventh day of November, 1892, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

NAME	NO. CERT.	NO. SH'S	AMT
N. J. Bird, Trustee	11	5	$100
N. J. Bird	12	5	100
N. J. Bird	13	5	100
N. J. Bird	14	5	100
N. J. Bird	47	5	100
N. J. Bird	48	5	100
Samuel R. Martin	55	5	100
T. J. Hay	58	40	800
Louisa A. Mosetop	62	10	200
J. E. Higgins	69	5	100
S. M. Runyon	71	10	200
Edith Zweybruck	72	5	100
Agnes Zweybruck	73	1	20
Fred B. Zweybruck	75	5	100

And in accordance with law, and an order of the board of directors, made on the seventh day of November, 1892, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, No. 119 Bush street, room 2, San Francisco, California, on Tuesday, the 31st day of January, 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. W. BOUGHTON, Secretary.

Office, No. 119 Bush street, room 2, San Francisco, California. d15 o3t

Assessment Notice.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIrectors of the Del Rio Rey Raisin and Fig Company, held this 19th day of December, 1892, an assessment of five dollars per share be and is hereby levied on the capital stock of the company. Said assessment to be payable at the company's office, 454 Ninth street, Oakland, to the secretary, DeWitt C. Gray, on or before the 13th day of January, 1893, and delinquent on January 20th, 1893.

Date of sale of delinquent stock fixed for February 7th, 1893.

d23td DEWITT C. GRAY, Secretary.